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RIVER DRIVE IMPROVEMENT PLAN TO CITY

Proposition Offered City Commission This Morning Covering Beautification.

TO WIPE OUT BARRON BRANCH

Would Afford Residence Site and Plan Great Improvement Along Brazos.

A reclamation and beautification scheme which may result in changing the physical aspect of two blocks on River Driveway between Washington and Jefferson streets and Fourth street and the Brazos river, and which also probably will result, if successfully carried out, in the opening of Columbus street from Fourth street east to the Brazos river, is to be presented to the city commission this morning.

The proposition is being advocated by parties interested in the River Driveway. It contemplates the obliteration and complete wiping out of Barron's branch from the Fourth street storm sewer or viaduct under Fourth street to the Brazos river in so far as the surface is concerned. The plan is to make the channel perfectly straight from Fourth street to the point where Barron's Branch intersects the River Driveway, carrying the water in a huge underground storm sewer the size of the one at Fourth street, which is about 10x15 feet.

Fill in Barron's Branch.
If this should be done Barron's Branch could be filled in and used for residence purposes, for a market of some kind, for a big cotton yard or any other similar purpose owners might see fit to put it to.

A culvert would be built at the River Driveway, thus doing away with all unsightliness at that point, and making the driveway full width instead of narrowing it down as would be necessary if a bridge is built.

Property owners would have to cooperate if the scheme is successfully carried out, but it is believed this can be counted on, as approximately two blocks north and south would be freed from overflow and reclaimed and more than that would be emancipated from flood waters east and west.

Storm Sewer 700 Feet.
The distance traversed by the proposed big storm sewer, which would run in a straight line and north of the present open channel of Barron's Branch, would be approximately 700 feet. Only one house would have to be moved to bring about the storm sewer channel, which would be then covered over.

It is estimated that between \$3,000 and \$4,000 would be saved the city of Waco in building a culvert instead of bridging it.

Declare Plan Feasible.

Persons who have looked over the ground declare the proposed plan is feasible, and probably would result at once in the filling in of the present channel of Barron's Branch and the wiping out of flood conditions which have been distressing at times. The water, at present, after discharging from the storm sewer under Fourth street, fills the space between that point and the Brazos river in times of high water, submerging practically everything in that district.

86 in the Shade; Waco Boils Under Hot Sun

Spring suits and a "shedding" of clothing to a goodly extent were indulged by a few in Waco yesterday and no one wanted to have the parties confined on insanity charges.

As a matter of fact, the mercury grew so ambitious that it shinned around 90 degrees in the afternoon, only lacking a few notches of getting to that point in the shade. Observations made by Dr. L. Block at 3 o'clock showed a record of 86 in the shade.

L. Taylor of Waco Feels Pull of Want Ads.

L. Taylor of 624 South Sixth St., ordered a want ad in the News for a week to sell some household furniture. The second day the ad ran (the first day was Sunday) the furniture went. The house full of goods was sold at an expense of 35 cents.

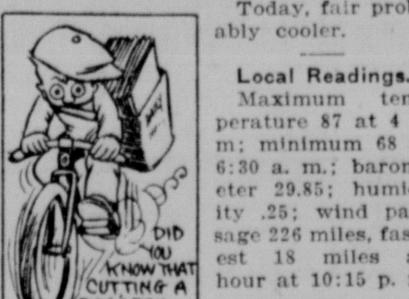
"News want ads do the work, and I want to be a witness to that fact," said Mr. Taylor. He declared it was the most effective service he had ever received from advertising.

Perhaps you have something to sell. A customer is ready to trade with you. If you are not ready, he will trade with someone else. If you want help in wording your ad, ask us to help you. Perhaps we can make it shorter and save some expense. Bring it to 614 Franklin or

TELEPHONE 3465.

Today's Weather

Voluntary Forecast by Isidor Block.



Today, fair probably cooler.

Local Readings.

Maximum temperature 87 at 4 p.m.; minimum 68 at 6:30 a.m.; barometer 29.85; humidity .25; wind passage 226 miles, fastest 18 miles an hour at 10:15 p.m.

Govt. Forecast.

For East Texas.

Thursday partly cloudy; Friday unsettled, colder in northwest portion.

West Texas—Generally fair in the south portion, unsettled in north portion, colder in the Panhandle; Friday unsettled, colder in north and west portions.

MRS. SMITH FALLS ON WITNESS STAND

FORMER FT. WORTH WOMAN COLAPSES IN TELLING OF KILLING HUSBAND.

Denver, March 21.—Events which she said were responsible for the slaying of her husband, John L. Smith, at their fashionable home here January 13, were described by Mrs. Stella Moore Smith, on trial for murder. Cross-examination of the witness commenced late today after Mrs. Smith collapsed on the stand in the midst of her description of the killing.

Lots of Hair Sign of Health, Says Barber Shop

Did you know that when a man's hair grows fast it is a sign that his general health is good?

Well, it is, unless practically all barbers are talking through their headgear when they say so. A barber in Jim Richard's shop on North Sixth street followed the custom yesterday and said that the fast-growing hirsute covering indicates good health. Incidentally, it means a depleted pocket-book also, as the barbers get a chance at the healthy man oftener. But then that is a small matter when health is put in the scale.

Censorship and School Bonds Before City Dads

The proposed bond issue of \$150,000 for the public schools of the city, in order to provide more room for the school children, will be taken up by the city commission this morning. The commission also will have up the question of the censorship of moving pictures in Waco, this coming in the form of an ordinance which the city attorney has been instructed to prepare.

Rotarian President to Shreveport Meeting

President F. L. Booth, Secretary C. H. Hartman and John M. Clement have gone to Shreveport, La., to attend the twelfth district convention of the Rotarians.

They went to Dallas and joined Rotarians from that place. The twelfth district is composed of Rotarians from Texas and Louisiana. The sessions will begin today and conclude tomorrow.

Harlow Gets Beauty Bug; Fixes Up City Fountain

The concrete container around the fountain at the city hall is being converted into a miniature floating garden. The space will be filled in with water grasses, water lilies and other aquatic specimens, possibly including some forms of algae. The idea originated with Finance Commissioner J. D. Harlow. Workmen are now engaged in making the change.

Waco Chosen I. O. O. F. Meeting Place in 1918

By Associated Press.

Dallas, March 21.—The Independent Order of Odd Fellows, in session here today, selected Waco as the next meeting place for the state convention. It was decided to raise sufficient money to dig a well for supplying water to the I. O. O. F. widows' and orphans' home at Corsicana.

The convention closed today.

Mrs. Geraldine Freeman Weds in Dallas Wednesday

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LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS AT AUSTIN: 40PM

Thought They Could Get Away With It

By Associated Press.

Atlanta, March 21.—Two youths, giving their names as Hugo Coutandin and Walter Wanderweh Pieczynski, were arrested here late tonight by federal agents and Atlanta detectives and are held at police headquarters incommunicado.

The police declare they are held on government order on suspicion of being German spies.

Both youths arrived in Atlanta today claiming to represent the Vandervel Walking club of Posen, Germany, and announced they were walking around the world on a bet.

Tonight their rooms were searched by federal agents and a number of papers seized. They were arrested later. Pieczynski is said to have had \$500 in cash on his person, books showing savings deposits of \$400 and a record of deposits on a Miami, Fla., bank of \$1,100, all made within the last month.

Protests Made Against Signing Bone Dry Bill on Basis of Time Discrepancy.

BAGBY REFUSES TO SERVE

Would Not Tell Governor of Sine Die Adjournment.

Ferguson to Temple.

Special to the News.

Austin, March 21.—The legislature adjourned sine die at 6:40 p.m. actual time today. In both senate and house protests were made against signing the bone dry bill, excluding liquor from dry territory on grounds it was not ready for signatures until 6:20 actual time, although clocks that had been turned back marked 5:40.

Bagby refused to serve on the committee to notify the governor the house had finished its work, insisting automatic adjournment had occurred when the real hour of 6 arrived.

The governor will go to Temple for a rest, and will reconvene the legislature on April 15.

FULLER ADDRESSES HOUSE.

By Associated Press.

Austin, March 21.—Placing of members of the legislature on a salary basis commensurate with the service to be rendered and extension of the term to five months or thereabouts is the solution of the legislative program as advanced by Speaker Fuller of the house of representatives in a speech before that body today. He thanked the legislature for its co-operation and the splendid remembrance accorded him. He stated the constitution under which the present legislature acted might have been adequate for the contingencies of the dates when the constitution was enacted but that it was insufficient in its provisions to meet the demands of a growing state, an empire in itself.

"It is not unbecoming to suggest that a legislature is composed of men from various sections and those men represent the districts and the people in the district from which they come."

"As long as man is imperfect so will laws be imperfect," he continued.

KILL SUNDAY BILL.

Austin, March 21.—The Nichols Sunday law bill, which should take the lid off on Sunday sales, was killed in the senate today by Senator Lattimore when he invoked the constitutional rule against the consideration of the measure. The motion to suspend the rule failed by a vote of 14 to 14, a two-thirds vote being necessary. The senate adopted the motion made several days ago providing for the appointment of a new committee on nominations for governor. The house bill to prevent the introduction into the state of insect pests and diseased plants finally was passed.

The senate also passed finally the Vantis "bone dry" local option bill. This bill prohibits the manufacture or sale for any purpose of intoxicating liquors into prohibition territory.

ROY WEST NAMED.

Austin, March 21.—The governor has appointed Roy West, formerly connected with the secretary of state's department, to the position of financial agent of the state penitentiary system. Henry Wagner, who has been stenographer in the executive department, was given the position vacated by Mr. West, while Curtis Knoblesdorff succeeds Mr. Wagner in the executive department.

BILLS SIGNED.

Austin, March 21.—The governor today signed the senate bill permitting the formation of corporations to build dry docks and marine railways; also the house bill authorizing county commissioners' courts to create irrigation districts for the purpose of irrigation; also house bill diminishing the civil jurisdiction of the county court of Falls County and the house bill creating the 81st and reorganizing the 36th and 49th judicial districts.

Object Training Mexicans in U. S. Public Schools

By Associated Press.

El Paso, March 21.—The war department objects to the training of Mexican students in the public school cadet corps, according to a statement made today by W. D. Mayfield, a trustee of the El Paso school board, who said plans were under consideration to make school military training compulsory. Some of the students, it was said, live in Juarez and attend El Paso schools.

AEROPLANE FLIGHT ENDS.

By Associated Press.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 21.—The men who quit work this morning in the metal parts factory of the Curtis aeroplane factory, late today voted to return to work Thursday morning. The men quit because a popular foreman had been removed.

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PREPAREDNESS IS WATCHWORD THROUGHOUT U. S.

By Associated Press.

New York, March 21.—The first naval base hospital of the American Red Cross, stationed in Brooklyn, has received word to hold itself in readiness for active service. It was announced late today. Its equipment is stored at the New York navy yard.

WAR INSURANCE 3 PER CENT

Washington, March 21.—A flat rate of three per cent for insurance for vessels leaving American ports for ports of belligerent nations was fixed today by the government war risk insurance bureau. The highest rate has been two per cent.

GUARD RAILROAD BRIDGES.

Baltimore, March 21.—Governor Harrington this evening ordered out two companies of the First regiment Maryland national guard to guard the Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio railroad bridges over the Susquehanna river at Havre de Grace. All north and south traffic of these two railroads pass over these bridges.

ORDER 15,000,000 FEET LUMBER.

Kansas City, March 21.—The United States government has placed an order with Kansas City lumber dealers for 15,000,000 feet of soft pine lumber, it became known here today. The contract calls for light timbers, boards and shiplap—such as is used in the construction of temporary army quarters. The destination of the shipment was not made public.

NOYON ENTRY TRIUMPHANT.

By Associated Press.

Paris, March 21.—General Nivelle's entry into Noyon was impressive. As the general and his aides alighted from an automobile the notes of the Marceillaise were heard. The emotion of the people was great. Sobs were heard throughout the crowd and the faces of the soldiers were wet with tears.

CLERGMEN CHEER FLAG.

New York, March 21.—Hope that the "Stars and Stripes" soon would be waving over the trenches in France" drew cheers from a hundred clergymen of many denominations here today when it was expressed in an address before them by Maj. Charles W. Gordon of the Forty-third Canadian infantry, better known as Ralph Connor, the author. Major Gordon formerly was a clergyman in Winnipeg and is here on a mission for the British war office. He soon will go back to his regiment in Flanders.

WOMEN URGE ECONOMY.

New York, March 21.—Patriotic women were urged to use their influence on fashions in dress to keep them as economical and practical as possible" in resolutions adopted today by the women's section of Mayor Mitchell's committee on national defense.

70 PATROL BOATS AT MAINE.

Rockland, Maine, March 21.—A statement that German submarines are known to be not far from these shores and that an attack on Maine ports is by no means unlikely, was made by Lieut. James O. Porter, U. S. N., at a naval recruiting meeting here tonight. The port, according to Lieut. Porter, is to be the base for seventy patrol boats operating in and about the mouth of the Penobscot river and bay.

RAISE ARMY RANKS.

Leavenworth, Kans., March 21.—Following confirmation by the senate regular army commissioners for the 346 regulars, Lieutenants came to Fort Leavenworth this morning and they took the oath of allegiance with an impressive ceremony.

DAVID STARR JORDAN PACIFIST.

New York, March 21.—A telegram was made public tonight sent to President Wilson by David Starr Jordan, protesting against "the treasonable attitude of the malefactors of wealth whose spokesmen are in the Union League club, for declaring war in advance of the government." He said, "the nation will uphold you in resisting, but never in yielding to their pressure."

GERMAN SPIES EL PASO.

By Associated Press.

El Paso, March 21.—Five

state of war existing, although there is some indication that he may only outline the situation fully and leave to congress the action which is acceptable as unavoidable. So much can develop, however, before congress assembles that the president is keeping his plans in a tentative form. Germany by her acts in the interim may throw all the plans awry and accept the onus of having forced the war.

Meanwhile every preparation for putting the nation's defenses in condition to meet a state of war are going forward. The principal activities center in the navy, where far-reaching preparations are being carried on to deal with the submarine menace, whether it is to be met in the war zone about the British coasts or at the gates of American cities.

The army's plans are in a less definite state because of the uncertainty as to what part it will be called upon to play. General staff plans to fit several contingencies have been worked out, however, and every step that can be taken in the present situation has been taken.

SUBS ON ATLANTIC?

The possibility of Germany extending submarine operations on the Atlantic seaboard has not been underestimated but it is recognized that when she extends her warfare from the comparatively limited barred zone to the 3000 miles of the broad Atlantic she so effectively weakens her starvation blockade of England that the announced object of the campaign of ruthlessness will of necessity be abandoned. At the same time the submarine menace to shipping will be comparatively decreased.

Next to war, the attention of the American government is upon the internal situation in Germany. With a military censorship screening the history-making events transpiring within the German empire and equally screening from the German people the full meaning of events in the world outside the real condition of affairs in that country, guardedly reflected in dispatches from abroad, commands close attention.

DEVELOPMENTS ABROAD.

Murmurings of a revolt against autocracy, emboldened by the revolution in Russia; reports of food riots in Berlin which are said to have necessitated withdrawal of troops from the fighting lines; military successes by the entente on the western front and in Asia minor; the submarine campaign operating far below the efficiency predicted for it, lead to the belief among officials here that possibly before congress can assemble to meet the situation the world may be confronted by an entirely different set of conditions.

While it has been generally assumed that any aggressive action by the United States against Germany and in cooperation with the entente allies would be purely of a naval character, designed to aid in the extermination of submarines and raiders preying upon commerce, state department officials declared today that this country might take any military measures deemed necessary to make effective its protest against Germany without actually entering into a formal political alliance. Even the sending of an expeditionary force to Europe, it was held, would not obligate this country to details of the allied program.

MIGHT ENTER BELGIUM.

Officials say an army could probably be sent to Belgium to help in the restoration of that violated territory and to throw America's influence in a real and practical way on the side of international law and order.

The possibility of a large bond issue to provide credit for some of the allies was suggested at the capital today in the conferences of members of congress still in the city.

It was pointed out that the allies have plenty of equipment and of men and munitions now, and that they want credit most of all.

The armed neutrality status at present in force is held by the International law experts to present many points of weakness. Neither war nor peace, it involves the country in continual misunderstanding with both sides. It is said to leave open the door for unlimited litigation with Germany after the war. In that status the United States still is technically neutral and might be held responsible by Germany for any unneutral acts committed here. With an actual recognition of a state of war, this difficulty would disappear.

Moreover, diplomatically the United States is in a most extraordinary situation, semi-hostile to the central powers and yet not aligned with the allies. The government is not taken into the confidence of nations with which it formerly communicated most freely. Especially is this so as to the far east, about which the government's information is very meagre.

BRITISH-FRENCH MOVE RAPIDLY AGAINST GERMANS

ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT GAINS SHOWN IN ASSOCIATED PRESS WAR SUMMARY.

By Associated Press

The calling of congress in special session on April 2, two weeks in advance of the original call, constitutes a momentous occurrence which overshadows all other news connected with the war. President Wilson has summoned congress to deal with "grave questions of national policy."

The president is expected to declare that a state of war has existed with Germany for some time, and also it is expected that congress will declare a state of war to exist and give the president authority to use the armed forces of the country.

The possibility that Germany may anticipate any move by the United States in this direction by a declaration of war on the United States is forecast in Berlin advises to the effect that in Berlin the belief is current that a state of war with the United States will be an accomplished fact within forty-eight hours.

Again the British and French forces in France are moving rapidly against the retreating Germans, and both London and Paris chronicle additional important gains in terrain on various points along the line running from Arras to the region of Soissons. Forty more villages have been taken by the British in the districts south and southeast of Peronne, while east of Ham, north of Tergnier and north of Soissons the French have made good progress.

To the north between Nieuw and Arras, the Germans at a number of points are beginning to resist the British advance vigorously, but despite this says London, their rear guards are being steadily driven back and the progress of the British continues. In the Aisne valley and along the east bank of the Crozat canal, the Germans are in strong force and have heavily bombarded French positions.

The Russians apparently still have the upperhand of the Turks on the Persian battle front, Petrograd reporting that they have been driven from the region of Sakkiz and that the Russians have crossed the Persian border and invaded Mesopotamia, thus adding to the menace to Ottoman troops who are in retreat from the British up the Tigris and Diala from Bagdad. To the south of Sakkiz the Turks, who recently were forced to evacuate Kermanshah, continue to fall back.

On none of the other fronts have there been engagements of much importance.

Unofficial advice in London from Holland are to the effect that serious food riots have broken out in Berlin and that frontier regiments have been sent there to maintain order.

20 AVIATORS VOLUNTEER.

By Associated Press

Boston, March 21.—Twenty aviators today volunteered in response to a call for men for this branch of the navy service issued by Harry K. White, state chairman of the navy league.

An Indiana inventor has brought out automobile goggles which use no glass and are open directly in front of the eyes, yet afford protection against wind.

FINNISH DIET TO MEET.

By Associated Press

London, March 22.—A Reuter dispatch from Petrograd says that the Finnish diet will reassemble on April 4.

According to this dispatch, a crowd assembled outside the duma Wednesday, carrying red flags on one of which was inscribed:

"Death to those arrested." Cries demanding executions also were raised.

The minister of justice, A. F. Kerensky, has issued a proclamation pointing out that none of the revolutionary or socialist parties have urged violence or condemnation without trial and adding:

"There is reason to believe that such exhortations to violence have been prompted by former members of the secret police and provocative organizations."

LONDON IN GREETING.

By Associated Press

London, March 21.—A resolution of greeting to the Russian duma and the people of Russia on the establishment of free institutions in that country will be introduced in the house of commons tomorrow by the government. The resolution which Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, said will have its object the giving of encouragement to the provisional government in Russia, follows:

"Resolved, that this house sends the duma fraternal greetings and the Russian people its heartfelt congratulations upon the establishment among them of free institutions in full confidence that they will lead not only to the rapid and happy progress of the Russian nation, but to the prosecution with renewed steadfastness and vigor of the war."

OUTLINES PLANS.

London, March 22.—(1 a. m.)—Prince Lvoff, the new Russian premier, receiving the Russian newspaper men at Petrograd, outlined the progress in the creation of new Russia, says a Reuter dispatch from that capital. The southwestern and western fronts, said the premier, were entirely on the side of the people. There had been some excesses on the northern front, but the commissioners sent there had found on their arrival that order and discipline had been restored.

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BRITISH DECORATE RUSSIAN DUCHESS



Grand Duchess Cyril Victoria.

Grand Duchess Cyril Victoria of Russia has been decorated with the Cross of St. George for her work with the British Red Cross. She is now helping her sister, the Queen of Roumania, with the latter's Red Cross work at Jassy.

DE FACTO RUSS GOVERNMENT IS RECOGNIZED BY U.S.

CONVERSATIONS WITH AMBASSADOR FRANCIS DISCLOSE THIS COUNTRY'S ATTITUDE.

By Associated Press

Washington, March 21.—Recognition of the provisional council of ministers as the de facto government of Russia has been accorded by the United States through conversations carried on by Ambassador Francis at Petrograd. This was stated at the state department today with the explanation that full recognition of the new government would be delayed pending demonstration of its stability.

Today's press reports saying the former emperor and empress had been deprived of their liberty and the former ordered back from his retirement to Petrograd caused uneasiness as possibly indicating control by an extremist radical group. Officials here think the greater danger in the situation lies in the possibility of attempts to destroy the moderates now in power, either by the former ruling party or by the extreme socialist revolutionary party.

All American merchant vessels, however, have been surveyed and classed by navy officials for possible use in time of war. The guns being placed aboard trans-Atlantic craft were destined originally to arm auxiliary cruisers withdrawn from merchant fleets for that purpose. Other vessels were classified as colliers, supply ships or transports, as they were found suitable. In many instances the officers of these ships have enrolled as reserve naval officers and would accompany their vessels in the government service.

NO DEFINITE POLICY.

"No definite policy has yet been adopted," Mr. Daniels said. "We will not, however, demoralize commerce. None of the ships engaged in trade will be taken over except in case of vital necessity. They would all be taken in that case."

A board of navy officers already is dealing with the merchant marine question and will co-operate with the shipping board in whatever is done. It was indicated, however, that no plans the navy department is now making will require the acquisition of any important portion of the merchant marine to navy uses. Some ships may be diverted under charter to supply the fighting fleets or scout patrols, if necessary, but because of the fact that it is believed that the major ships of the navy would not set up.

CURTISSE STRIKE A WORRY.

Navy officials were disturbed by press reports of a strike in the Curtiss Airplane company's factory with which the government has placed large orders. Tomorrow a conference of the various aeronautical organizations will be held at the war department to discuss means of hastening active production and the situation at the Curtiss plant may be taken up. The president has power to take over the establishment if necessary. A joint army and navy board reported today that in its opinion the development of the air services of both military arms of the government should be co-ordinated and consolidated to a large extent.

Orders to enroll women for nurse work in time of war as part of the naval reserve forces were sent out today to commandants of naval districts and recruiting officers.

Details of the enlistment of women as clerks, typists, radio operators and for similar positions so that the men

will be freed for active service.

There is an excellent treatment for this purpose named a teaspoonful of ordinary bisulcate of magnesia taken in a little hot or cold water after eating.

Suppose you have acid indigestion, sour stomach and heartburn simply get a small bottle of Bisulcate Magnesia (either powder or tablets—never liquid) from any good druggist and they may expect that the distress ordinarily caused by your food will be avoided, if the above directions are followed.

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Gluten Flour and Bran Crackers

Two cups of Fernell Gluten Flour.
One cup of Fernell Wheat Bran.
One teaspoonful Cream of Tar-
tar.

One-half teaspoon soda.
One-half teaspoon salt.
Three tablespoons butter.
Mix well all of the ingredients
and add sufficient cold milk to
make a stiff dough. Roll them
and cut into desired form. Bake
well, but do not have oven too
hot.

THE ABOVE
FOR DIABETIC
PATIENTS.

Gluten Flour, per bag.....\$1.50
Bran, per bag 30c

THE GROCERY SO DIFFERENT DISTRIBUTORS.

TRAIN YOUR HAIR AS AN ACTRESS DOES

No class of people devotes as much time to beauty as do actresses, and no class must be more careful to retain and develop their charms. Inquiry develops the information that in hair care they find it dangerous to shampoo with any makeshift hair cleanser. The majority say that to have the best hair wash and scalp stimulator at a cost of about three cents, one need only get a package of canthrox from your druggist; dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water and your shampoo is ready. This makes enough shampoo liquid to apply it to all the hair instead of just the top of the head. After its use the hair dries rapidly, with uniform color. Dandruff, excess oil and dirt are quickly dissolved and entirely disappear when you rinse the hair. After this your hair will be so fluffy that it will look much heavier than it is. Its lustre and softness will also delight you, while the stimulated scalp gains the health which insures hair growth.

67 of 153 Plead Guilty in Vote Probe

By Associated Press.
Indianapolis, Ind., March 21.—Before the United States district court here adjourned today, sixty-seven of 153 men accused of violating election laws in Indiana had pleaded guilty. Seventy-nine entered pleas of not guilty and four bonds were forfeited. The majority of those who pleaded guilty were negroes.

A French scientist is working upon a phonograph which he plans to have imitate the human voice by passing compressed air through photographically produced holes in a rapidly moving membrane.

CHILD GETS SICK CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS*
CAN'T HARM TENDER STOM-
ACH OR BOWELS.

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach stops.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of the so-called fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the California Fig Syrup Company.

To Overcome Eczema

Never mind how often you have tried and failed, you can stop burning, itching eczema quickly by applying a little zemo furnished by any druggist for 25c. Extra large bottle, \$1.00. Healing begins the moment zemo is applied. In a short time usually every trace of eczema, tender pimples, rash, black heads and similar skin diseases will be removed.

For clearing the skin and making it vigorously healthy, always use zemo, the penetrating, antiseptic liquid. It is not a greasy salve and it does not stain. When others fail it is the one dependable treatment for skin troubles of all kinds.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

Stetler's Drug Store
Open All Night.
PHONE 159
If You Get It at Stetler's
It's O. K.

MEXICAN RELEASED BY HIGH COURT OF MURDER CHARGE

SUPREME JUDGES DECLARE RAMON PIZANA DID NOT KILL FEDERAL SOLDIER.

By Associated Press.
Austin, March 21.—The court of criminal appeals today reversed and remanded the case of Ramon Pizana, from Comanche county. Pizana had been given a term of fifteen years in the penitentiary on conviction of the killing of a federal soldier near McGuire, August 3, 1915. This soldier was on furlough and had agreed to accompany a detachment of soldiers in charge of a lieutenant to the ranch of the appellant's mother in search of Mexican bandits. When the party reached the ranch, the civilians who had accompanied the detachment, and who were ahead, general firing commenced and McGuire was killed and a Mexican boy on the ranch was wounded. The court today held that the evidence is conclusive that Ramon Pizana did not shoot the soldier.

The court also reversed and dismissed the case of Dr. S. F. Nave, from Live Oak county, who had been fined \$200 on conviction of the offense of paying the poll tax of another.

The court affirmed these cases: Jim Pope, from Bowie, theft of cattle; three years in the penitentiary. John Holder, Dallas, manslaughter; five years.

M. R. Johnson, from Titus, one year for illegal selling of liquor, and J. F. Bateman, from Kaufman, five years for robbery with arms.

Criminal.

Austin, March 21.—The following proceedings were had in the court of criminal appeals today:

Affirmed: Jim Pope, from Bowie county; John Holder, from Dallas county; J. F. Bateman, from Kaufman county; M. R. Johnson, from Titus county.

Reversed and remanded: Ramon Pizana, from Cameron county; Burrell Cain, alias King, from Dallas county; Will Stubbs, from Hopkins county; Dock Lynch, from Rusk county.

Reversed and dismissed: Earl Cogdell, from Haskell county; Dr. S. F. Nave, from Live Oak county.

Submitted on brief and oral argument: Alfred Smith, from Clay county; John Merks, from Williamson county; A. C. Bunch, from Dallas county; Sam Furr, from Wilson county.

On brief for both: Vergé Sessions, from Kaufman county; Joe Coburn, from Kaufman county; S. E. Adams, from Jones county; Wash Blake, from Gregg county.

On brief for appellant: Will Clemens, from Kaufman county; Joe Cox from Tarrant county; Oscar Downs from Tarrant county; Elvio Aguilar, from Maverick county; Petra Lerma, from Wilson county.

On brief for state: R. N. Baggett, from Stephens county.

On Record: Ed Cheves, from Young county.

On motion for rehearing: A. Zuccaro, from Tarrant county.

Civil Appeals.

Austin, March 21.—The following proceedings were had today in the court of civil appeals Third district:

Reversed and remanded: Brack Hall vs. Ida Hall et al., from Williamson county.

Reversed and rendered: Kincannon & Gaines vs. Independent Cotton Oil company, from McLennan county.

Affirmed: D. A. Smith vs. Railroad Employees Development company, from Bastrop county; C. V. Compton vs. Y. F. Hopkins et al., from Williamson county.

Case postponed to April 4: Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway company of Texas vs. James A. Gregory, from Bell county.

Cases submitted: St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance company vs. Arthur McQuary, from Falls, in which was also submitted a motion to strike out statement of facts; State of Texas vs. St. Louis, Southwestern Railway company of Texas et al., from Travis county.

Motion to dismiss appeal overruled: Brack Hall vs. Ida Hall et al., from Williamson county.

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NON-UNION MAN ATTACKED.

By Associated Press.
Port Arthur, March 21.—E. S. Miller, a non-union telephone lineman, was attacked and beaten with a pair of pliers by three today. Three men were said to have attacked him. Miller was employed by the local telephone company at the time the operators struck, three months ago.

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Washington, March 21.—An executive order signed by President Wilson today directs that time spent in the federal military service shall not be counted against the records of national guardsmen on the civil service eligibility list.

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The court adjourned until next Wednesday.

You can live on \$1.75 a week and do manual labor, by eating at Weather's Chili Parlor, 100 North Fourth.—Adv.

Your morning paper free with your morning purchase if made at Carter's Drug Store.—Adv.

Drives Jit for Money for Trip—Killed in Fall

By Associated Press.

Dallas, March 21.—Solon Grusby, 16, took up jitney driving so that he might raise money enough to go west and join his brother on an Arizona ranch, but at 3 o'clock this morning his car plunged through a rail on the Oak Cliff viaduct and in the long drop to the railroad tracks below Solon was killed. The body was found after several hours.

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M'GREGOR

Mrs. O. D. Young of Granger is a guest of her mother and sister, Mrs. Maggie and Miss Josie Bryson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Norman and baby of Killeen spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Pledger.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wells have been gone several days to the bedside of a very sick mother who lives at Eureka. Mr. Andrews of Austin was a guest in the Edward Walker home last Sunday.

Mesdames Ruseau, Weavelet and Crossway were guests last Friday afternoon of friends.

In the coming together last Wednesday night of the membership of the First Baptist church quite a pleasant time was experienced by all those who attended. The decorations were a color scheme of green and white, suggestive of St. Patrick's Day. The refreshments consisted of chicken salad, sandwiches, tea, coffee and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Crouch and boys were in Temple Sunday.

After quite an extended visit to Weatherford relatives, Miss Ruby Bryant has returned home.

Mrs. Atkinson of Waco was a recent guest of Mrs. J. W. King.

The ladies of the Christian church entertained the ladies of all the other churches Friday afternoon in a St. Patrick's affair at residence of Mrs. Porterfield, which was conceded to be one of the most interesting affairs of any recent date. The decorations suggesting the day were very beautiful and gorgous. The entertainment feature was conducted in a manner pleasing to all the near 100 guests. The aftermath of refreshment, consisting of cake and pineapple sherbet, was delicious.

Pastors Neal, Franklin and Sleeper, respectively, of Methodist, Central Presbyterian and First Presbyterian churches, very graciously called in their evening services in order that their charges might attend the revival services at the First Baptist church which promises to be of much interest.

Student Edwards of Baylor is in charge of the music.

Earl Bryant of Waco spent Sunday visiting his home folks.

Mrs. Fannie Beal is visiting her father's folks Monday.

Miss Nannie Sawyer is slowly improving from an attack of measles and pneumonia.

Miss Velma Duke and Clarice Henry visited home folks at Comanche Springs last weekend.

Postmaster S. R. Brown finds himself this week in the new postoffice location at Coffelt building on Main street.

Major George H. Caufield and E. W. Crouch and W. V. Hanver have been named as a committee from the Retail Merchants' association to secure a \$2,500 citizens' bonus to assure a new \$15,000 brick hotel for McGregor. Such a proposition is ready for acceptance by Jake H. Smith.

J. T. Hamilton and his wife returned today from their auto trip to Ballinger.

The feed barn of J. V. Burns burned down Friday afternoon.

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Total copies circulated:
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WELFARE BUREAU NEEDED.

THE NEWS is pleased to receive
from the executive committee of
the Welfare league a statement of fi-
nancial condition and an explanation
of the committee's purposes for the
coming year.

The committee states that the work
of providing community gardens to
fight the high cost of living will be
neglected. The committee reports that
the funds available for distribution do
not provide for a paid secretary to
continue the individual work the re-
signing secretary accomplished and
that that sort of work is prima-
ry a matter for the Associated Char-
ters.

TO SUM up in briefest space, The
News' position is:
That the vitality of the Welfare
league during the past year was in the
ring secretary.

That the board of directors never
as a body or gave the league's
name other than the prestige of a
tandem set of names.

That the executive committee's ac-
tions largely consisted in conducting
the fight for funds for which one
by the committee was or is to be paid
and in red dollars.

The executive committee was
selected by a president or chairman
of directors to do the superintending
that was unable to give and that
the majority of the directors didn't
know there was an executive commit-
tee and certainly were not acquainted
with the names of its members.

That the executive committee is do-
ing a handable thing in providing for a
distribution of funds for various uplift
organizations connected with it, but
The News believes the Chamber
Commerce thru a Welfare Bureau
had have raised a far larger fund,
and the organization on a better
basis, and still provided a
day for the continuance of the vital
work of individual and family up-
building done by Secretary Kent in
the past year.

restored THE NEWS said yesterday:

All intelligent business men
will agree with the central idea of
the co-ordination of uplift effort
to supplant the surface save of
miscellaneous charity. The News
trusts the directors of the Cham-
ber of Commerce will take the time
in the earliest moment to settle
this pressing question.

The News believes a Welfare Bureau
the Chamber of Commerce will fill
the full this idea in the Waco com-
munity and that the Chamber of Com-
merce is the proper body under the
present situation to undertake this
task. It may separate for the time
being perhaps the business of under-
taking the support of the established
organizations as are assured of their
own and additional funds from the
Welfare league collection of about
\$3,000.

The editor desires interested sub-
scribers to read the statement of the
executive committee in the adjoining
column.

A VOCATION FOR THE CHILD.

DO YOU wish your child to be
happy? If there is something
that he has shown a strong interest
in, or a number of years get him a
chance to play with or study or work
at it to the furthest possible extent.
Let him have also broad training, cul-
ture, accomplishments, if you can. But
don't force him from his own right of
way upon any siding of your own
fancy. When he gets ready to choose
his calling insist that the main issue
is that he shall be able to shout every
morning with Marcus Aurelius, "Lo, I
am going with gladness to that work
for which I was born into this world." He
may decide to become a barber, when you wanted him to be a minister.
Well, he had better be a good and
happy barber than a discouraged min-
ister. For "happy is the man who has
found his work."

What Others Say

Gloster IN. Y. J. Democrat and
Chronicle)

The cost of medical attendance hav-
ing been advanced, the layman finds it
very difficult to suppress symptoms
alarmingly suggestive of the grip.

(Sioux Falls IS. D. J. Argus-Leader)

A professor compares women to sat-
ellites revolving around the sun, the
horrid man being the sun. He as it
may, the average woman often makes
that "sun" revolve the way she wants
him to go.

Much Ado About Nothing
By Roy K. Moulton.

The Psalm of Coke.
Tell me not in mournful numbers
Life is but an empty dream;
That the loads of coke they send us
Are not really what they seem.

Tell me not that dealers soak it;
That they soak it, through and
through.
Till one ton of this rich fuel
Weighs about as much as two.

Life is real and life is earnest
And it's really not a joke
When we cough our hard-earned
shekels
For the water in the coke.

Massachusetts widow says she can't
keep her little boy on \$5,000 a year,
but she will find it even harder when
he is old enough to bring a wife home
to live.

NEW YORK MILLIONAIRE SAYS
HE IS TOO BUSY TO FALL IN
LOVE. THAT IS A SHAME, FOR HE
IS ONE OF THE FEW WHO CAN
AFFORD IT.

We must pause here and thank our
astute and patriotic congressman, who
has forwarded to our address, as per
usual, a package of garden seeds. Upon
this occasion every spring we have a
square meal. We had the seeds for
breakfast this morning and they were
fully up to the breakfast food we buy
at the store.

Credit, Please.
Perhaps I have done many things ere
now
Which to my friends have brought
the blush of shame.
The years have passed on fleeting
wings, I vow,
And I have made my errors in the
game.
My sins I will confess and none I'll
hide.
But I've one virtue for my friends to
sing.
I have my faults, but I have never tried
To learn to dance this winter's
"toddle" thing.

Wonder why Uncle Carranza hangs
onto the presidency of Mexico when
he might be in vaudeville making good
money.

Education is a grand thing. Charlie
Chaplin makes as much as the com-
bined salaries of 1,943 college profes-
sors.

A hardware store in this town ad-
vertises "Cast Iron Sinks." We sus-
pected as much.

Where!
"Where were the microbes,"
Asks Old Man Hipe,
"When we used to borrow
Our neighbor's pipe?"

Co-eds in one of the New England
universities say they are not going to
flirt any more. Perhaps they couldn't.

SUCH IS FAME
Modern Epitaphs.
Bill Jones passed on
Amid regrets.
He tried to stay,
But—cigarettes.

K. L.

A long farewell
To Mamie Lou.
She went to ride
In a canoe.

JIMKY.

Yes, civilization is advancing some.
It has been a long time since we have
seen a man with a horse hair watch
chain.

A COMPLETE CURE.

Jim Hanks was always grunting
'round, beset by many ills.
He'd tried most every brand of dope,
including all the pills.
He was so very poorly that he never
could work—much.

His wife, she had to hustle for the
breakfast food and such.

He tried Doc. Bibbings' remedy one day
along last fall.

And now he is a happy man. He can-
not work at all.

Rear Admiral Bradley Fiske is re-
ported to have said in his Lotos club
speech that the nation has become effem-
inate and "Uncle Sam should be
called Aunt Elizabeth." Once again
we must refer for solace to the thought
that the female of the species is more
deadly than the male.

OUTCLASSED.
They can fight our ships and fight our
men.

But jot this fact down, honey,
They're going to hesitate some time
Before they fight our money.

It is the Divine One Doubling in Brass?

The Thompsonville (Ala.) "Echo"
says: "Misses Tabb Foster and Anne-
lee Tucker and Mrs. D. V. Hasty were
visitors at Mobile last Saturday to
hear the great singer, Sarah Bern-
hardt."

Who Is Your Hero?

My hero is Eugene McSwatt.
He's satisfied with what he's got.

—BUDDY.

My hero is Erasmus Hicks.
He does not tell his kid's cute tricks.

—J. H. P.

My hero is Robertus Storr.
He does not talk about the war.

—Mrs. F. T.

My hero is Philander Price.
He never peddles good advice.

—G. J. J.

Spring Styles for Men.
Waistcoats will button up the front
this season.

Evening clothes will be much worn—
especially around the cuffs and the
bottoms of the trousers.

The average collar will stand about
two trips to the laundry this spring.

About 99 per cent of those long ciga-
rettes holders will be made of celluloid.

Hellup!

I met three thieves the other night,
Who held me up and did it right
And no small warrant has been sworn
And no bastille will they adorn.

They had the time of their young lives
And never dealt me better'n fives.

MILUKOFF, RUSSIA'S MAN OF THE HOUR,
IS CALLED "THE AMERICAN OF RUSSIA"

Prof. Paul N. Milukoff.

Special to the News.

Petrograd, March 21.—Prof. Paul N. Milukoff, new foreign minister and the leader that overthrew Russian bureaucracy, is widely known as a historian and an editor who always has been a very determined fighter for progress in Russia. He was the founder and has always been a leader of the most progressive block of the duma, the Cadet party. He is widely known and highly esteemed in the allied countries and probably understands Russian foreign affairs and the relations of Russia to her allies better than almost anyone else.

Milukoff's leadership in the revolution has given to it a genuinely American tinge, for he's imbued with many American ideas, which he studied and acquired during his lecture tour of America in 1907. His leaning toward American institutions was so pro-

ductive of the revolution that when he returned to Russia the reactionaries in the duma hissed him as "The American." As long ago as May of last year Milukoff sounded the British and the French governments on their attitude towards a revolution in Russia. In London and Paris the idea was given a cold reception. He returned home convinced that the hour for the revolution had not arrived. Nevertheless he continued his onslaughts in the duma against the foes of Russian democracy. He stirred the duma in the following November by his attack on Sazonoff, the foreign minister. In all his propaganda he steered steadily toward the goal of German elimination from the government and the overthrow of the reactionaries.

He was responsible for the removal of the pro-German premier, Steurmer, whom he denounced in a now famous speech in the duma. Owing to the censorship the exact nature of the charges was not revealed, but it was made known that various members of the duma united in a formula directed against the "dark forces" which they were convinced were undermining the nation's best efforts in the war.

In January Berlin, which in some manner has been able to keep in close touch with Petrograd, sent out the report that the democratic leader of the duma had been forced to flee the capital. This was supposed to be in connection with the political upheaval which followed the murder of Rasputin. Milukoff by circulating proclamations in his name inciting factory workers and other laborers to public demon-

strations.

GAINED 7 POUNDS
IN A SHORT TIME

Claims That Plant Juice Has
Restored Her to Health
and Endorses Same.

Probably no affliction is more common or responsible for more intense suffering than stomach trouble, for thousands of otherwise robust people drag through a life of misery, due to this disease and its various symptoms. The new herbal system tonic, Plant Juice, eliminates such conditions because it reaches the very root of the disease, causes the food to digest properly in the stomach, forces the kidneys to action, cleans out the little filtering cells and glands, neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous urine substances, regulates bladder disorders, and overcomes the numerous symptoms of a deranged stomach, such as dyspepsia, indigestion, costiveness, belching of wind, bad taste in the mouth, pains in the back and sides, etc. Not a day passes but what testimonials are received from local people, testifying to the benefits derived from Plant Juice. Following is the signed testimonial of Mrs. Frank Hutchins, who resides at No. 148 Artillery Avenue, Detroit, Mich., who has a host of friends socially, who will be glad to know of her recovery to health. She stated:

"Bad luck that for poor old Bill," said Jinks, the chauffeur. "He got fined for taking out his employer's car without permission."

"But how did the boss know he took it?"

"Bill ran over him."—New York Times.

Defined.

"What are diplomats?"

"Diplomats are the people who do the quarreling while we do the fighting."—Washington Star.

Useless Information.

"Jiggs has a hoard of useless information."

"In what respect?"

"He is considered an authority on international law."—Buffalo Express.

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NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

BY
O. O. MCINTYRE.

New York, March 21.—When Michael Ganlock was stricken with what his poor, suffering mortal sense told him was an acute attack of neuralgia, the other day in his home, he might have known better than to send his cousin, Simon Warloff, out to telephone for a doctor. No good could possibly ever come of it.

Simon had never used a telephone, and in fact wouldn't have known one if it slapped him in the face. Telephones meant nothing in his drab life. He arrived in this country about two weeks ago in the basement of a vessel and, as he explained to those who were patient enough to listen, he doesn't know anything.

His suffering cousin told Simple Simon to go to the corner and ask the druggist to read what was on the paper and act accordingly. The druggist was to call up the physician with a nickel which was placed in the center of Simon's hand.

Here is a close-up of what happened to Simon. Lost the paper. Kept the nickel. Got to the corner. Apparently went mad in front of a fire alarm box. Snapped at it several times and some neutral who could not understand him turned in the alarm. Simon gave him the nickel for his trouble. Then they both waited.

(Ten minutes elapse.) Up came the fire engines with their snorting machines and everything. Simon lost all sense of proportion and made the two blocks to his sick friend's home in practically nothing. The firemen trailed him there and after they had told him what they thought of him and the place he ought to go where he would need even more firemen, the sick friend raised up on his elbow and in a sarcastic wail finished the picture. Simon admits this country is quite exciting.

After driving nearly everybody in Chicago silly the Jazz band craze has hit New York. The Jazz band is composed of all brass instruments and will drive a lot of banjoists and ukulele players out of jobs.

As long ago as May of last year Milukoff sounded the British and the French governments on their attitude towards a revolution in Russia. In London and Paris the idea was given a cold reception. He returned home convinced that the hour for the revolution had not arrived. Nevertheless he continued his onslaughts in the duma against the foes of Russian democracy. He stirred the duma in the following November by his attack on Sazonoff, the foreign minister. In all his propaganda he steered steadily toward the goal of German elimination from the government and the overthrow of the reactionaries.

He was responsible for the removal of the pro-German premier,

CONGRESS PLACES O. K. ON WILSON'S APRIL 2 SESSION

MEMBERS IN WASHINGTON RE-
CEIVE NEWS OF EXTRA SES-
SION WITH APPROVAL.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 21.—Members of congress still in Washington received President Wilson's call for an extra session April 2 with patriotic expressions and confident predictions that a close organization fight in the house would not be permitted to delay action on the grave questions to be submitted by the president.

The senate organized and adopted its anti filibuster rule during the recent extra session. House leaders say their contest will be settled promptly, regardless of political results, so that both branches may get down to business within a few days after they assemble.

A joint session to hear the address of the president may be held without waiting for the house organization. This course is held to be legal and probably would serve to hasten action in the house.

In spite of their determination to bring about a quick conclusion, neither Democrats nor republicans intend to surrender without a fight. Majority Leader Kitchin from his home in Scotland Neck, S. C., today sent out a call for a democratic caucus on Friday, March 30, at 11 a. m. Calls for republican and so-called independent conferences are expected to follow.

Democrats, it is declared, will caucus solidly despite the unpleasantness which arose over the prohibition fight in the dying days of the last congress. The republicans because of the opposition to caucus rules among the progressive element probably will only confer. The five independents already have agreed to confer informally before the session.

Both big parties are expected to discuss emergency plans for organizing the house along bi-partisan lines or changing the present rules which require 218 votes, a majority of the total membership, to elect a speaker. As each side, it is generally agreed, will have a total membership of 214 on the opening day, it would be necessary under present rules for the winning party to attract four of the five independents. Many republicans are opposed to permitting the balance of power to rest with the independents and any proposed plan which would eliminate them from the fight would receive hearty reception in the republican conference. Some democrats favor a change in the rules so as to permit less than a majority of the membership to elect. This has been done on two occasions, in 1809 and 1879.

Calling of the special session today made the independents a much greater factor in the organization plans than they would have been if the session had not convened until April 16, as originally planned.

Should neither side be able in the early voting to win four independents, it is considered extremely likely that an effort will be made to reach an agreement to elect a speaker by a majority of those present.

VARDAMAN SEES MISTAKE.

By Associated Press.

Jackson, Miss., March 21.—James K. Vardaman, one of the twelve United States senators who killed the armed neutrality bill during the last session of congress, tonight issued a statement in which he promised that if congress should declare war on Germany he would "vote to give the president men and money to the last soul and dwindling farthing necessary to uphold my country's cause."

URGE UNIVERSAL TRAINING.

By Associated Press.

New York, March 21.—Representative Charles P. Caldwell of New York tonight said as a member of the house committee on military affairs he would introduce on the first day of the extra session the universal training bill which was offered as an amendment to the military appropriation bill in the last congress, but which failed of passage.

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Philadelphia, Pa. Victims of eye strain and other eye weaknesses, and those who wear glasses, will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope and help for them. Many whose eyes were failing say they had their eyes restored by this remarkable prescription and that they are glad to say they have thrown them away. One man says, after using it: "I was almost blind. Could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without my glasses and my eyes do not hurt any more. At night they would pain dreadfully. Now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses but after using this prescription for 15 days, everything seemed clear." I can read even fine print without glasses." Another who used it says: "I was bothered with eye strain caused by overworked, tired eyes which induced fierce headaches. I have worn glasses for several years both for distance and work, and without them I could not read my own name on an envelope or the type-writing on the telephone before me. I can do both now, and have discarded my long distance glasses altogether. I can count the fluttering leaves on the trees across the street now, for several years I have looked like a dim green blur to me. I cannot express my joy at what it has done for me."

It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reason-

INNOCENT MAN LONG IMPRISONED FOR OTHERS' CRIME, GUILTY ONE CONFESSES



W. O. Bradley (left) and Frank Harwell.

Special to the News.

Savannah, Ga., March 21.—Unable to longer stand the strain upon his conscience, W. O. Bradley, a middle-aged man, has confessed to the El Paso police that he was the murderer of Mrs. Maggie Hunter in Savannah on December 11, 1909. His confession also involved his partner, Frank Harwell, who he says beat Mrs. Elliza Gribble, an aged woman, and her daughter, Mrs. Carrie Olander, to death with an iron bar at the same time.

Bradley was placed under arrest in El Paso on a charge of burglary several days ago, having been caught in the company of several alleged dope venders. Later, and without being questioned by the police, who had not suspected him of a grave crime he openly admitted that the sight of the face of Mrs. Hunter, looming up in front of him at all times made him so miserable that he was unable to stand it any longer.

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TONGMEN KILL CHINKS.

By Associated Press.

Stockton, Cal., March 21.—In a street shooting between Chinese tongmen in the Chinese section here tonight, Lee Won, a Suey Sing, was killed; Lee Hey of the same tong wounded and a passing Japanese was shot in the head and probably will die. Several arrests were made.

Observing Conventions.

"Now, sir, shall I cut your name and my name in the bark of this tree?" I suppose there will be nothing to criticize in that," said the dear girl, "provided you also cut the name of my chaperon."—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

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Recess Appointments for Members Tariff Board

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 21.—So that there may be no further delay in organizing the new tariff commission, President Wilson gave recess appointments today to the six members on whose nominations the senate failed to act at its recent special session. Officials expect that preliminary plans will be made within a few days for the investigation of the country's tariff needs, for which the commission was created. Prof. Frank W. Taussig of Harvard heads the commission and the other members are David J. Lewis, of Maryland; William Kent of California; Daniel C. Roper of South Carolina; E. P. Costigan of Colorado and W. C. Culbertson of Kansas.

Their nominations went to the senate a few days before the end of its special session and did not get out of committee. They will be returned for confirmation when congress meets again April 2nd.

Gompers in Protest on Adamson Detail

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 21.—President Gompers and Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor protest to Attorney General Gregory today against the declaration of the supreme court in the Adamson law decision that the right of railroad employees to strike is limited by the public interest.

The labor leaders declared the court had gone out of its way to inject this "reactionary" assertion into its opinion.

His Discovery.

Mrs. Hicks (relating burglar scare)—Yes, I heard a noise and got up and there under the bed I saw a man's legs.

Mrs. Wicks—Mercy! The burglars?

Mrs. Hicks—No, my husband's—he

had heard the noise, too.—London Saturday Journal.

Venezuela Sees Sub War Neutral Violation

Willesstadt, Curacao, March 21.—Venezuela, according to arrivals from Caracas, recently answered German's announcement of unrestricted submarine warfare by expressing adherence to the traditional policy of maintaining the rights of humanity and of neutral nations. Simultaneously it is declared the Venezuela minister in Washington was instructed to notify the American government of Venezuela's unqualified endorsement of the stand taken by the United States in protecting neutral rights, thus reversing former action which merely reasserted her attitude of strict neutrality.

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POLLY AND HER PALS—ANYHOW, MAGGIE'S OPTIMISM ISN'T AS THIN AS PA'S.

BY STERRETT, FAMOUS NEWS CARTOONIST.



NAVIGATORS WILL MEET BEAR TEAM AT CARROL FIELD

DAVENPORT TO DO PITCHING FOR LEAGUE TEAM—COLLEGIANS ON EDGE.

Big Skipper Hardy is taking no chances on winning the baseball contest from the Baylor rah rah team today and since the collegians are proving themselves to be a tougher proposition than expected the Skipper decided to adopt the safety first policy and use Davenport for mound duty this afternoon when the teams meet the Bears on their own garden at Carroll field.

Other than placing the smoky boy in the center of the garden, the Navigator scenery will be much the same as in the contest with the Bear nine last Tuesday. Grubbs may work in the infield, replacing Conwell at Third base.

Recruits May Be Used.

If things go well with the Navigator huskies and a healthy lead is gained in the first few innings, Head, Russ, Teague and Blunk may get an opportunity to mend the poor showing they made against the amateurs in the Tuesday contest. All four of these pitchers worked yesterday afternoon in practice work at the park and seemed to show more control and speed than when under fire in the game with the collegians.

Leslie, Conwell and Malmquist are putting more punch in their batting averages at every practice game. Leslie wallop the horsehide all over the field, dropping a single and double according to his own whims.

Bear Line-up Same.

From the camp of the Bear aggregation word comes from Coach "Bubs" Mosley to the effect that he is banking his hopes on the same line-up in today's contest that worked the Navigators overtime Tuesday. "Duncum" will more than likely do all the twirling for the Bears, with Farrington and Ellis to do relief work in case of a change needed.

Coach Mosley carried his team through an afternoon of hard work yesterday ending up with a special batting drill.

More than likely the big football star, "Bob Fielder," will be given an opportunity to improve the record made in his first game this season. Fielder evidently suffered under the severest kind of attack of stage fright. He has been showing up fine in practice work during the first of the season and worked smoothly yesterday afternoon when doing defensive work in infield practice.

Navy Schedule Heavy.

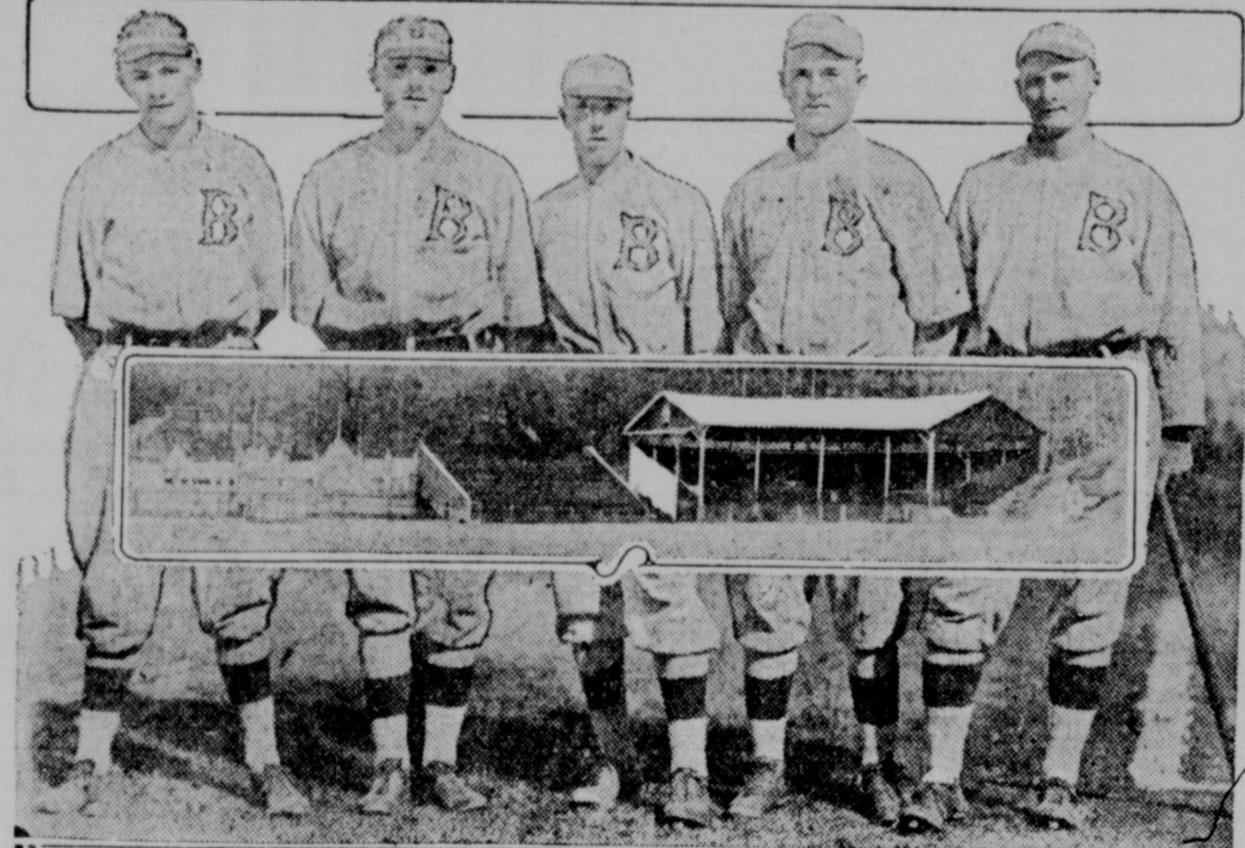
Following the game today at 4 o'clock with the Baylor nine at Katy park, the Navy have some stiff work cut out for them during the next week or so.

The schedule as it now reads is as follows: Today at Carroll Field, Navy vs. Baylor; Friday at Marlin, Navy vs. Giants; Saturday and Sunday at Katy park, Navy vs. St. Louis Browns, first team; Monday and Tuesday at Katy park, New York National regulars.

WORKING BOYS' CLUB TONIGHT. Members of the Waco Working Boys club will listen to an address by Rev. C. T. Caldwell this evening. Miss Louise Irwin will also give a reading selection. A mock trial has been scheduled as one of the features.

BEAUMONT. Beaumont, March 21—Beaumont today defeated Chattanooga, Southern Association 5 to 4.

BROOKLYN PITCHERS ROUNDING INTO FORM AT HOT SPRINGS



Left to right: Rube Marquard, Ed Pfeffer, Jack Combs, Larry Cheney and Sherrod Smith. Insert: Whittington Park, training ground of Brooklyn National League team at Hot Springs, Ark.

SOCCER MEETING HELD AT DALLAS

NORTH TEXAS SOCCER LEAGUE DISCUSSES PLANS FOR SERIES OF CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES.

Special to the News.

Dallas, March 21.—A special meeting of the North Texas Soccer Football league was held at A. G. Spalding & Bros. last night, President Oates in the chair. Other officers present were First Vice President M. W. Jones and Secretary Alex Turner, while the Dallas Soccer club was represented by Frank Wainwright and W. B. Smith, Sears-Roebuck by James Alexander and C. H. Pell and Baylor university by W. C. Turner, manager of the Bears soccer team.

The meeting was called to fix a method of playing a series of games to decide the championship of the present season, Baylor university, Dallas and Sears-Roebuck having completed their respective schedules with an equal number of points to their credit. After considerable discussion it was decided that an elimination contest should be staged, two teams to be drawn from the hat to play the first game, the winner of this contest to meet the remaining team. The draw resulted as follows:

Baylor university vs. Dallas, at Baylor, March 24.

Sears-Roebuck vs. Dallas or Baylor university, at Dallas, March 31.

In order that all teams might take the field at full strength in the closing games it was decided that the suspensions passed on Derrick and Neville of Baylor and Cramshaw of Dallas be raised in order that all players may take part in Saturday's game.

ATHLETIC

PLAN PECAN SALE FOR TREE PLANTING

LIONS' CLUB PLANS STUNT TO PUSH CITY BEAUTIFICATION SCHEME.

Special to the News.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 21.—Manager Wilbert Robinson is reported to be well pleased with the way his pitchers are rounding into form. The mounds upon whom he will depend mainly this year are the same as last: Rube Marquard, Ed Pfeffer, Jack Combs, Larry Cheney and Sherrod Smith.

Smith has been pronounced by Dr. Biggs, who examined all the Brooklyn athletes at Hot Springs and prescribed their baths, the best man physically on the Superba roster. Sherrod was sound in wind and limb and blood tests, and his measurements were all according to the ideal scales.

Ed Pfeffer is in better shape than some of the twirlers, having led the outdoor life all winter, but he has taken on some flesh despite his exercise and will have to go to some trouble to reduce.

The only holdouts now are Zack Wheat, Charley Stengel and Tom Fitzsimmons. Uncle Wilbert Robinson had provided attractive place cards for the occasion, and a special vote of thanks was tendered him. A vote of thanks also was extended to Walter Chambers of the Powers-Kelly Drug company for cigars passed to members through the Portina company.

Dr. Aleck Spencer was toastmaster. Holt Massey was named toastmaster for the next meeting.

Arrange Vicksburg Meet of Blue and Gray Vets

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 21.—The war department has ordered Lieut. Col. Willard D. Newbill to proceed to Vicksburg to arrange for the national memorial celebration and peace jubilee of the Blue and Gray on Vicksburg battlefield next October.

Plans are being made to care for 20,000 veterans of the battle, it is said, in addition to many visitors.

Congress has appropriated \$150,000 for the celebration and it is understood \$200,000 more will be asked in order to have a full reunion of Civil war veterans.

"Yes," said the young wife, proudly, "father always gives something expensive when he makes presents."

"So I discovered when he gave you away," rejoined the young husband. And with a large, open-faced sigh he continued to audit the monthly bills of his better half.—Stray Stories.

All He Said.

"What did you say to your wife when you got home at 12 last night?"

"My dear."

"Is that all?"

"Yes, she began talking then."—Liverpool Post.

Foolish Question.

Special Operator—That telephone has been taken out.

Subscriber—Er—you couldn't tell me where it has been taken to, could you?

—Michigan Belle.

Who He Was Not.

"Who was this 'ere Nero, Bill?" asked a coster of his friend as they gazed into the picture show. "Wasn't he a chap that was always cold?"

"No, that was Zero," was the answer. "Another bloke altogether."—London Fun.

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HAIL INSURANCE on growing crops; also fire, liability, plate glass, health, accident, life, tornado. We write bonds. S. Hundley & Co., Southern Union Bldg., Waco.

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Highest prices paid for men's second-hand clothing. Beerman, 204 S. 8th St., phone 4847.

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MISS MINNIE OWENS
Public stenographer, Notary Public, 711 Amicable Bldg., phone 717.

FOR NICE service cars
CALL 3171
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WANTED—To buy your second-hand furniture; just starting in business; will pay highest price. Also want to sell some extraordinary bargains in furniture, gas stoves and refrigerators. B. W. Reinke, new and second-hand furniture and stoves, phone 4081 or 2569, 129 Bridge St.

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CHAS. H. T. THOMAS (Colored)
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ORDER your suit from A. F. Fisher, 203 Franklin St.

TEXAS PLAINING MILL and Cabinet Co. will make you a cabinet to order. 321-322 Elm St., phone 511.

MANICURING taught by graduate. For full particulars call 770.

FOR QUICK SERVICE ring Union Delivery and Messenger Service. Delivery by automobile, motorcycle and bicycle. Open all night. Phone 1256.

R. D. EVANS, LAWYER. Office 120 1-2 South 3rd St. Phone 1953.

MISS DARSEY, Spirella Corsetier, 1619 Washington St. Phone 5189.

HATS cleaned and blocked. Telephone 130. Roberts the Hatter, 707 Austin Ave.

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TWO \$5 bills in Goldstein-Migel rest room. Liberal reward. Mrs. L. A. Smitherman, phone 3838.

SMALL brown Jersey cow, no brand; milking; three soft teats. Ring 2361 for reward.

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Help Wanted Male

A THOROUGHLY experienced young man of good address, in the retailing of cigars. Must have first-class recommendations. Address P. O. Box 643.

WANTED—Two men to solicit in city; call at 9 o'clock in the mornings at Smith's Studio, 204 Cameron Bldg.

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade quickly; mailed free. Moler Barber College, Fort Worth, Texas.

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WANTED—Married couple to rent my home and board me. Must have good references. W. E. Hiley, phone 3041.

Do you know the secret of sales?

Salesmen Wanted

FIRST-CLASS Mexican labor, male or female. W. A. Moye, phone 724x.

SALESMAN and salesladies—Will pay salary or commission; experience unessential. See Mr. Burnett, 920 Austin Avenue.

Situation Wanted Male

JAPANESE young man wants job, butler or gardener, etc. Box 5, News.

Phone your want ad to The News—3465.

Rooms for Rent

FOR RENT—Lovely south front room, close in. Phone 843.

FOR RENT—nice front room to refined young men or couple; references exchanged. Telephone 2462.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Close in; also light housekeeping rooms. 610 S. 5th. Phone 1984.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, close in; all conveniences. Phone 3106.

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ATTRACTIVE bed rooms for rent, one block of Raleigh. 917 Austin, phone 224.

FOR RENT—Large southeast room, in private home; all conveniences; best part of city. Call 3730.

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FOR RENT—Two single bedrooms to couple or gentlemen. Phone 1982.

MODERN furnished room, hot bath, private home. Garage, references exchanged. Phone 4210, 225 N. 11th.

ACME TAILORS—"None Better." Fine suits to order, cleaning and pressing. L. W. Whitney, Proprietor, 129 N. Fifth St.

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Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms to couple without children; also use of garage or stable; front driveway. 1917 N. 10th, phone 4849.

FOR RENT—Well furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 611 S. 8th. Phone 4363.

FOR RENT—To couple only, 3 completely furnished housekeeping rooms; private bath; water and lights. 1425 Washington St.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, adjoining bath, hot and cold water. Ring 3575.

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FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for housekeeping; south exposure, all conveniences. Phone 2915, 1010 Washington.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, close in. 503 N. 8th St., phone 1056.

CLOSE-IN, nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. 215 N. 7th.

TWO nice large un furnished rooms, bath, gas, electric lights; close in on car line. No children. Phone 2944.

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SPLENDID residences, choicest apartments. Phone "The Rent Man," 966. J. C. Nichols.

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LLEWELLING VISITS WACO--IN FAVOR OF A CONVENTION

DECLARER NEW CONSTITUTION NEEDED IN TEXAS AS NEW GARMENT FOR OLD.

Dwight L. Llewelling, former member of the house from Dallas county, was in Waco yesterday on business matters. Mr. Llewelling appeared greatly pleased that the legislature has voted to submit the question of a constitutional convention to the people.

"That we are greatly in need of a new fundamental law," said Mr. Llewelling, "there can be no question. The present constitution, drawn by the fathers of 1876, was an excellent document for that time and years after, but it has now served its purpose, outgrown its usefulness and its many cumbersome provisions (necessary then to a state just emerging from the misrule of carpetbag days) are now but a dead weight to progress. It should be laid aside like an outgrown garment that the people may clothe themselves with a new and better garment. The constant stream of resolutions to amend the constitution at each session of the legislature seems to indicate that the people wish a change. Almost every election we vote on several constitutional amendments. Each meeting of our representatives brings forth from fifteen to thirty calls for amendments to the constitution.

"I do not believe the governor has the power to veto this resolution, but even if he has I doubt if he will do so. We cannot assume that he will be unwilling for the people to vote on the question, and I prefer to believe that he will pass the matter on to the voters. That the people of Texas will vote for such a convention I am fully convinced."

"I am delighted to see such a progressive paper as the Waco News, always to the fore on great state questions. The people look to such papers for leadership."

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is the whole wheat grain—not the white, starchy center of the wheat—make no mistake about that—but be sure you get the whole wheat grain in a digestible form. Shredded Wheat Biscuit contains all the tissue-building, energy-creating material in the whole wheat, steam-cooked, shredded and baked. A perfect food for the nourishment of the human body. A better balanced ration than meat or eggs, or starchy vegetables, supplying the greatest amount of body-building nutriment at lowest cost. For breakfast with milk or cream, or for any meal with fruits. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

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Everyone speeds like a winner—when he's riding home to dinner!

Pa Provider says that some men don't miss much by getting home late for dinner. Me and pa always get home on time, because we know what's waiting for us. Good groceries properly cooked.

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LIKE MOTHER TRIED TO MAKE

Also—A Large Display of Fancy Work, Too.

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PRESBYTERIANS MAY PLAN FOR NEW LOCATION

A new location may be chosen for the Central Presbyterian church. The matter is in the hands of officials, who probably will make a recommendation Sunday.

There are many in the church who are advocating selling the present valuable location at the southeast corner of Washington and Twelfth streets, moving further west, getting a cheaper lot or lots and using the money saved in the new location purchase for the building. Real estate men place an attractive value on the present location.

Committees are actively pushing the campaign for funds with which to begin the erection of a new building.

The location question probably will be settled within a week or ten days.

DUPREE CALLS FOR RAILROAD MEETING

GENERAL COMMITTEE ON PALESTINE PROPOSITION IN CONFERENCE IN WACO TUESDAY.

R. B. Dupree, chairman of the committee to push the Palestine railroad proposition for the Y. M. B. L., has provided for a meeting of the general committee on this proposition next Tuesday in Waco, on suggestion from DeLeon Harp of Mexia, chairman of the central committee on the road.

A letter yesterday was received from Mr. Harp, in which the suggestion was made regarding the general meeting, this suggestion coming after Mr. Harp had conferred with W. F. Storey of Teague.

E. A. Miller, chairman of the statistics committee of the Y. M. B. L., has been asked to name his own committee and get under the statistics proposition. Mr. Dupree said yesterday that a lot of work will be required and there will be considerable expense, as it will be necessary to make a survey, tell what the road will cost if brought to Waco, how much can be had in rights of way, bonuses and other concessions, and that it will take money to do all this. Hence the meeting of the general committee called for Waco Tuesday.

Dallas already is moving out in the matter, but it is believed Waco's chances are excellent if the city gets under the matter in a big way.

The legislature has passed the bills making the project possible of accomplishment.

Perhaps It's Here

A Underwood typewriter, model 4, probably is ticking off its messages in somebody's office in Waco today. If so, and if the owner bought it from a stranger in the past day or two, it might be well to ring Chief Guy McNamara of the Waco police. A machine of this description was taken from the office of Neff & Taylor in the Chalmers building Tuesday night. Detective R. H. Hall found where a white man tried to sell the machine to a pawn shop, but the pawn shop man demanded a record of the machine, hence there was no trade.

E. M. Trammel will deliver an oration tonight at the meeting of the Waco Speakers' club. Those taking part in the debate tonight will be Ed Shaffer, E. J. Vesey, F. L. Wilcox and H. A. Woods.

The Maccabee membership contest is progressing well, with the Blues 300 points ahead of the Reds. The Blues will put on the initiatory work of the order with a big class next Tuesday night.

W. W. Naman and others were busy yesterday in an effort to close up the signing up of white way extensions authorized by the city commission. The order for material is to be placed at once, the chances being that it may require several months to get this material. If possible, material will be secured so that the white way extensions may all be put in before the Cotton Palace next fall.

Col. W. W. Soley yesterday returned from Dallas, where he attended the meeting of directors of the Texas Electric company. At the meeting a quarterly dividend of 1 1/4 per cent was declared on preferred and second preferred stock. W. R. Glasgow of West was elected a director of the company.

Some of Waco's business and traveling men were in Marlin yesterday, drawn there by the arrangements which have been making for the style show and auto display. Percy Willis spent yesterday in Marlin. He found that that city has prepared in good form for the displays.

No Indictment Against Aubrey Deaton Wednesday

No indictment was returned by the McLennan county grand jury yesterday against Aubrey Deaton for killing his brother-in-law, W. L. Boyett, Monday morning, the killing taking place at the residence of W. H. Deaton, where Boyett's wife was staying.

Indictments were returned against four men, charging them with theft of autos. These men are Ed Long, John Saxon, Earl Wilson and Jim Thomas. They are alleged to have taken a large number of autos, Waco police breaking in on what appeared to be a widely organized and systematic plan for getting machines and spiriting them away.

"Good morning," Phone Carter's Drug Store, 1108, Seventh and Austin. We deliver.—Adv.

Good year tires for sale. Waco Vulcanizing Co., 607 Franklin St. Phone 3142. (Adv.)

WINNERS NAMED IN BOYS' QUESTION BOX BY REV. D. A. M'GUIRE

SIDNEY PYLAND, 917 SOUTH SIXTEENTH ST., WINS FIRST PLACE IN CONTEST.

Winners in the contest inaugurated recently by Rev. D. A. McGuire to encourage boys and develop their originality, were announced yesterday. The boys who won gave the best answers to seventeen questions proposed to them.

The prizes were presented last night to the boys by John A. Erhardt Jr. in an address to the youngsters.

First prize, a \$15 suit of clothes, given by the Goldstein-Migel Co., was won by Sidney Pyland, 12 years old, living at 917 South Sixteenth street.

Second prize, a \$5 bill, given by the Central Texas Exchange National bank, won by Claude H. Segrest, 1800 Burnet street.

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The answers furnished by Sidney Pyland, winner of the first prize, follow:

His Answers.

1. If I had \$1000 I would start me a chicken and hog ranch, and rent a small place close to town for a ranch and sell chickens, eggs and hogs.

2. What money my best boy friend has given part of it to the Sunday school and pastor's salary and some to have a good time.

3. He goes to church and Sunday school and the park, socials, ice cream parades and plays marbles, baseball and basketball.

4. I spent each evening last week at home with mama and papa.

5. I would like to visit Washington, D. C., to see the capitol, the white house, see President Wilson and go through the white house and capitol.

6. I have not had many fights, only little scraps or quarrels with other boys; one time my large brother was teasing me and I threw a rock and hit him in the back and ran under the house where he could not get at me.

7. The book that has given me the most pleasure in reading is the Texan series written by Joseph A. Alsheter.

8. The things I like about my boy friend is a good boy goes to church and Sunday school, the only thing I dislike is he has a quick temper.

9. The things I dislike about the boy I dislike most is he smokes, curses and runs with other bad boys.

10. I go to school to get an education for my future or manhood.

11. I go to church to study the Bible, learn its history and because mama has always taught me to go to church and Sunday school.

12. I go to Sunday school to learn the history of the old and new world before and after Christ's coming.

13. The bad habits that tempt boys most strongly are smoking and chewing tobacco and running around in town at night with bad boys.

14. Because alcohol is a poison to the whole body system and injures those who drink it and shortens their life.

15. You should be grateful to your parents because they try to give you an education and always have taught you to go to church and Sunday school.

16. When I grow up to be a man I should be the best farmer in McLennan county.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Dr. F. N. Calvin spent yesterday in Marlin.

Rev. D. A. McGuire will go to Milford the latter part of this week where he will spend ten days at a meeting.

J. Felton Lane, prominent citizen of Hearne, spent yesterday morning in the city.

R. G. Buford, formerly of Waco, but now residing in Dallas, was here yesterday morning on his way to Marlin.

Wayne McClain, a student of Baylor University, who was called home last week on account of the death of his mother in Pennsylvania, will return Saturday, bringing with him his sister, Thelma McClain. They are the nephew and niece of Mrs. J. B. Cornish, with whom they will now make their home.

Mrs. A. R. Lawson, who has been out of the city for the past ten days, has returned to her home on Sanger avenue.

Mrs. R. G. Patton, who has been out of the city for some time, has returned.

Mrs. Ralph Conger of China Springs was the afternoon and night guest on yesterday of Miss Decca Lamar West of Mingewood. In Miss West's home was also Mrs. C. C. Conger of Cleburne.

Mrs. E. T. Sharpe has gone to Kansas City and other points in Kansas for a week or ten days, on a visit to her home.

Mrs. Julia M. Rider is seriously ill in Alton, Ill. Mrs. Rider left Waco several weeks ago in company with her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Minier, and they have visited a number of northern and eastern cities.

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A. C. Stamps of Rome, Ga., was here yesterday.

J. N. Prewitt of Dallas was here yesterday.

T. Wilson of Houston was here yesterday.

A set of high grade band instruments at about one-half price. Instruments of all kinds repaired. Prices reasonable. Charles Parker, Waco, Texas. 508 1-2 Franklin St.

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FILE COMPLAINTS ON QUARANTINE VIOLATIONS HERE

Charged with violating quarantine regulations, and not remaining on premises when notified to do so by health authorities, two complaints yesterday afternoon were filed before Assistant County Attorney John B. Atkinson.

The complaints filed were against Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Myers of Mart and Gertrude Hays of Lorena. The complaint against Mr. and Mrs. Myers was filed by Dr. J. E. Cook, city health officer at Mart, who issued instructions to the effect that Mr. and Mrs. Myers should not go out in public, alleging that they had been exposed to smallpox. Mrs. Gertrude Hays, it is alleged, had been exposed to diphtheria, and Dr. R. McCormick, county health physician, had quarantined the premises. In such case it is alleged that parties left the premises after same had been quarantined.

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